

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
Hans J. SIDLER : **Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH**
Serial No. NEW : Attorney Docket No. 2003_1337A
Filed September 24, 2003 :
DEVICE FOR PROTECTION AGAINST THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
EXPLOSIONS IN A PIPE-LINE TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the above-identified application, kindly amend the application as follows: